

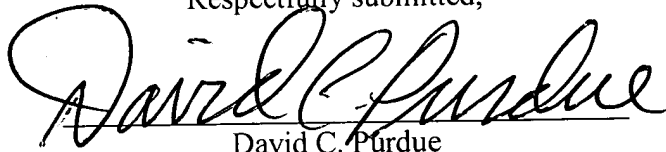
REMARKS

The foregoing amendments are made to correct the form of the claims by eliminating improper multiple dependent claims and thereby to expedite examination.

With this communication, the applicant is submitting an Information Disclosure Statement.

Favorable action on the merits is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David C. Purdue". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large initial "D".

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